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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 through 1.98, applicants wish to make known to the Patent and Trademark Office the references set forth on the attached form PTO-1449. This application is a continuation-in-part and relies, under 35 U.S.C. § 120, on the earlier filing date of prior application USAN 09/276,484, filed March 21, 1999; which is a continuation-in-part of USAN 09/164,223, filed September 30, 1998. The references listed on pages 1-13 of the attached Forms PTO-1449 were submitted to and/or cited by the Office in these prior applications and, therefore, are not required to be provided in the present application. If the Examiner wishes, copies will be provided upon request.

As to any reference made of record on the attached Form PTO-1449, applicants do not admit that it is "prior art" under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 or 103, and specifically reserve the right to traverse or antedate any such reference, as by a showing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or other method. Although the aforesaid references are made known to the Patent and Trademark Office in compliance with applicants' duty to disclose all information they are aware of which is believed relevant to the examination of the above-identified application, applicants believe that their invention is patentable.

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